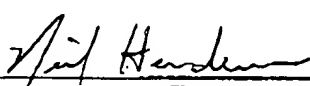


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Applicant(s): SHEKTER, Jonathan Martin					
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Invention: SYSTEM FOR MANIPULATING NOISE IN DIGITAL IMAGES					
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
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Dear Sir:

VOLUNTARY AMENDMENT

In further response to the Restriction Requirement mailed April 27, 2004, please
amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2
of this submission.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this submission.

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